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HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE

Working group: Extreme Poverty and Human Rights

Theme(s) discussed:

Eradication of poverty; UN guiding principles: "extreme poverty and human rights";

17 October: International Day for the Eradication of Poverty; post-2015 sustainable development objectives regarding poverty; Article 30 of the European Social Charter.

Aims:

Acting together for the eradication of poverty; promoting awareness of civil society action in this field; co-ordinating a network of INGOs, members of the Conference of INGOs, to promote greater mutual understanding and joint action; monitoring of public policies to combat poverty; organising actions to mark 17 October at the level of the Conference of INGOs;

Working language(s): primarily French

Coordinator and INGOs participating in the group:

AIC, ATD Fourth World, Caritas, ESAN, Médecins du Monde, AEH, Justice et Paix and around fifteen other INGOs

Date created: October 2011

Planned duration: no set duration

Expected results/outputs: Collaborative work between the participating INGOs and joint actions to raise awareness

Dissemination of the results: Documents to be produced

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